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WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 18, 1913.

## MADERO IS REINFORCED; REBELS STORM PALACE.

### AGED POET IS DEAD.

Joquin Miller Joins Celestial Choir.

Hang on Door of His Picturesque Home Overlooking Oakland.

In Indiana He Lived Two Years Beyond the Biblical Allotment.

Will Be Incinerated on a Funeral Pyre Built by His Own Hands.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

OAKLAND (Cal.) Feb. 17.—[Special Dispatch.] Joquin Miller is dead. The venerable "Poet of the Mountains" breathed his last in his home at his picturesque home at Oakland, at 3 o'clock this morning. Miller passed away in the arms of his wife, Abby Miller, and his daughter, Miss Julia Miller. He was 82 years of age at the last and was a member of the last and most famous of the great poets of the world.

LAKE OF A TRIO. He would be in mourning today for the loss of the immortal California poet, Mark Twain and the other great poets of the world.

AND REGISTRAR OF DEEDS. The Los Angeles County Registrar of Deeds, Mr. J. H. Smith, will handle all funds.

THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

REMARKS, CLASSIFIED AND INDEXED.

TITLES—PAGES—PARTS

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### MEXICAN ISSUE IN CONGRESS.

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### DIAZ STILL HOLDS THE FORT; MADERO TO USE BOMBS TODAY.

Rebels Again Prevent the Mexican Federals From Dynamiting a Cannon Sweep of the Arsenal.

Notification That American Mobilization on Land and Sea Does Not Spell Intervention Causes the Besieged President to Exult—Gen. Huerta Threatens a Flank Movement for This Morning Which He Says Will Soon Decide the Issue.

(BY CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.—The rebels have advanced their lines and appear to be getting the better of the fighting. An American named Gibbons was wounded this afternoon.

EL PASO, (Tex.) Feb. 17.—Rebel forces began storming the palace early this afternoon with a twelve-inch cannon, said a private telegram received here today from Mexico City. An unconfirmed report, transmitted over the wires below, stated, reported that Diaz occupied the palace at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.—It is reported that Francisco de Ibarra will be arrested for complicity in the rebellion.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.—The Federalists were preparing tonight to use dynamite bombs in an assault on the Diaz position. A sustained attack this afternoon by the Federalists against the Y.M.C.A. building was repulsed by the rebels.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.—President Madero received today the reply from Gen. Huerta to his telegram protesting against intervention, in which President Taft assured him the reports that it was the intention of the United States government to land forces in Mexico were inaccurate. "I never expected anything less than this," commented Madero on reading President Taft's message. "I regard it as satisfactory and friendly."

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Falling in every attempt to rout Gen. Diaz and his rebels from the arsenal today, Col. Navarrete, commander of the Federal artillery, advised Gen. Huerta, commander-in-chief of the Federal forces, this afternoon, that it would be impossible to take the arsenal by storm or breach its walls unless he could obtain a direct range for his heavy field guns. At the cable office it was reported on receipt of the message directed the Federal corps of engineers to raise the buildings between the San Juan market and the arsenal with dynamite. But again the rebels effectively stopped this strategic movement as they did when that plan was attempted last week and tonight there is practically no change in the situation except that during the armistice yesterday the rebels were enabled to secure great quantities of food supplies and at present they are in a better position to stand a siege and beat off their assailants.

AMERICANS AND OTHER FOREIGNERS continued to leave the city today for Vera Cruz. The exodus was started yesterday during the armistice and the two trains which left here were crowded, among the fugitives being many wealthy and influential Mexicans whose homes have been wrecked or destroyed.

STRICT CENSORSHIP. The Madero government continued its strict censorship on all dispatches today and it is reported by operators that several diplomatic code messages were turned back. At the cable office it was reported there was a rumor in circulation among the diplomats that more than likely an American force would be ordered from Vera Cruz to the capital unless there was a decided change in the situation within the next thirty-six hours.

THE FEDERALISTS AGAIN today concentrated their attacks on the arsenal from the south and east sides. The machine guns and rifle firing was almost incessant during the morning, and only this afternoon, after both sides had spent their energy and were forced to stop serving their guns through exhaustion, did the volleys become infrequent.

EFFECTIVE work was done by the rebel gun crews on the roof of the Y.M.C.A. building, compelling the Federal engineers and artillerymen engaged in mining and blowing up the buildings between the citadel and the San Juan market to retreat.

REBEL FIRE STRONGER. The rebel fire was at all times stronger today than that of the Federalists and it is reported that the Federalists are facing another shortage of ammunition.

IT WAS INTIMATED that President Madero, with Gen. Huerta and other aides, had planned a new movement of strategic importance which would be put in operation tomorrow, but the nature of this plan was not indicated. The National Palace was again shelled by the rebels today, but was not damaged to any extent, as many of the shells fell short or went beyond their intended mark. They did great damage, however, to surrounding buildings. It is not believed the loss of life or number of men wounded was large on either side today, as most of the fighting was indirect or at long range.

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"Your Excellency must, therefore, be aware that the reports which appear to have reached you that orders have already been given to land forces were inaccurate. The Ambassador, who is fully informed, is nevertheless again instructed to afford you any desirable information. Fresh assurances of friendship to Mexico are unnecessary after two years of proof of patience and good will.

"In view of the special friendship and relations between the two countries I cannot too strongly impress on Your Excellency the vital importance of early establishment of that peace and order which this government has long hoped to see, both because American citizens and their property must be protected and respected and also because this nation sympathizes deeply with the afflictions of the Mexican people.

"In recognizing the anxiety shown by Your Excellency's message, I feel it my duty to add sincerely and without reserve that the course of events during the past two years culminating with the present most dangerous situation creates in this country extreme pessimism and the conviction that the present paramount duty is the prompt relief of the situation.

"WILLIAM H. TAFT."

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### REINFORCEMENTS FOR MADERO REACH THE MEXICAN CAPITAL.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fresh from a period of inactivity at Toluca, the Twenty-ninth Regiment arrived here on a special train at 8 o'clock tonight, to reinforce President Madero. The regiment was accompanied by a battery of four field pieces and one mortar.

This regiment represents the flower of the Federal army, and it contributed 700 men under Gen. Blanquet to the Madero cause last week.

United States Ambassador Wilson, announced tonight that the American Embassy would issue a newspaper printed in English tomorrow morning. This is done to allay the fears of Americans and other foreigners who have been without news for a week, no other papers having been printed in that time.

The capital is now without communication to any point north, as the last train bound for Laredo left here tonight via Vera Cruz.



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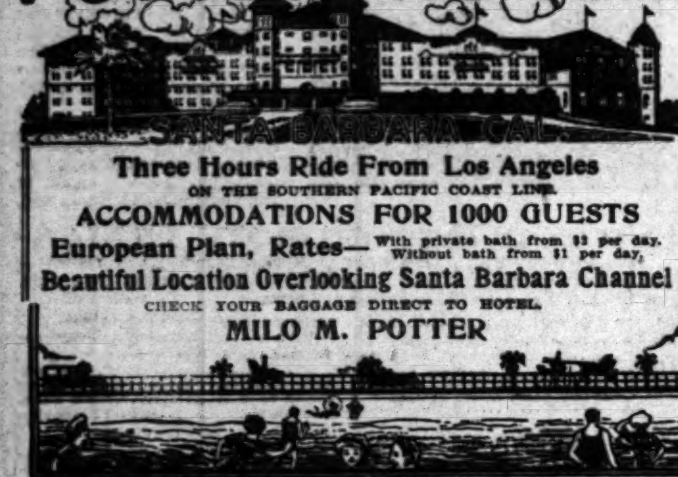
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Late's Seamy Side.

## DORR ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE.

Stockton Man Accused in  
Lynn Murder Arraigned.

Alleged Motive, Legacy Left  
by Millionaire.

Jury Examines Marsh Where  
Body Was Found.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
SALFEM (Mass.) Feb. 17.—Several persons who had known the prisoner at his home in Stockton, Cal., were in court here when the trial of William A. Dorra, accused of the murder of George E. Marsh, a wealthy soap manufacturer of Lynn, was opened today.

The body of Marsh was found by the roadside in Lynn on the morning of April 12, 1912. He had been shot to death the night before. Marsh was 75 years old and a widower.

MOTIVE OF THE CRIME.  
The alleged motive for the crime, as set forth by the prosecution, involved a legacy of \$100,000, which the late James Marsh of Stockton, it is claimed, left in trust to the murdered man, his brother, for Orpha Marsh, an aunt of Dorra. Dorra made his home with his aunt and it was she who gave him up to the police.

The state contends that Dorra came East and for several days before Marsh was killed lived under an assumed name in Lynn.

Judge Joseph F. Quinn presided. More than 150 witnesses have been summoned.

JURY INSPECTS SWAMP.  
A jury was obtained without much difficulty. After adjournment today the court ordered the sheriff to take the jury to the marsh at West Lynn, where the body of Marsh was found.

From the prisoner's cage he followed the proceedings intently and frequently conferred with his counsel.

AUNT HOLDS ALIBI.  
NOT PAYING DORR'S LAWYERS.  
(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
STOCKTON (Cal.) Feb. 17.—Miss Orpha Marsh, aunt of William A. Dorra, on trial at Salem, Mass., for the murder of George E. Marsh, a wealthy soap manufacturer, announced today through her attorney that she was not contributing a cent towards the defense of Dorra and that she did not know where he was getting his money for the fight he is making to clear himself.

It also leaked out today that Miss Marsh has made a new will disposing of her estate which is valued from \$75,000 to \$100,000, which a former will gave to the accused murderer. Miss Marsh and her attorney, however, refuse to divulge what disposition Miss Marsh has made of her property.

The gift was to have been kept a secret. It was arranged that even the donors should not know the form the gift was to take until the last moment, but the news leaked out.

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VANAR PRESIDENT RESIGNS.

Woman Principal Also Quits and  
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Change.

(BY FEDERAL WIRELESS LINE TO THE  
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POUGHKEEPSIE (N. Y.) Feb. 17.—

Dr. James Monroe Taylor, president of the Vanar College since 1888, today tendered his resignation to the board of trustees, to take effect at the end of the school year in June.

The board also announced that it had received the resignation of Mrs. J. Ryland Kendrick, principal of the college.

Dr. Taylor refused to discuss his resignation, but some of the trustees say he is to give up the office because of advanced age and also on account of increasing responsibilities caused by the growth of the college in the past few years. Mrs. Kendrick, the principal, resigns on account of ill-health.

Despite the statement that these are the only causes, the two resignations, coming so suddenly, and together, have started a lot of gossip.

"De Amicitia."

## FINE NECKLACE FOR MRS. TAFT.

BEST JEWELERS OF NEW YORK  
AT WORK ON IT.

Gift Will Cost Ten Thousand Dollars and Washington Women Are Contributing to a Fund to Pay for the Token of Appreciation from the Society World.

(BY MARGARET W. DE FEISTER.  
(BY FEDERAL WIRELESS LINE TO THE  
TIMES.)  
NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE  
TIMES, Feb. 17.—[Special Dispatch.]

The best jewelers in New York are at work on the design for the \$10,000 diamond necklace which Washington women are going to give Mrs. W. H. Taft as a token of their appreciation of the manner in which, as first lady of the land, she has performed her social duties.

Miss Boardman was appointed a committee of one to look after this detail and came to New York this morning to place the order.

The form which the gift will take was decided at a meeting in Washington before she left for New York. The cost will be defrayed by a large number of women who have been entertained by Mrs. Taft and who have had her as a guest at their homes during the stay of the Tafts.

Just what form the necklace will take is a secret and will be until it is completed and presented. Miss Boardman laughingly refused to give the least information on this point today.

It can be said, however, that it will be totally unlike the necklaces Mrs. Taft already has and which is familiar to those who have had the privilege of attending White House receptions.

Miss Boardman had with her a photograph of this piece of jewelry, and left it with the jeweler so that they might know what was not wanted.

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Four plants—the Firestone, Goodyear, Goodyear and Miller have practically shut down, forced by the exodus of employees, leaving the Diamond, Goodrich and Goodyear plants fighting hard to avert a like condition.

It is estimated by the general strike committee that there are about 1500 men and women actually on strike tonight and approximately 1200 in all had quit work, many being forced into idleness by the crippling of the factories.

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The California Insurance Co., which had charge of the building, had insured it for \$100,000. The fire was caused by a gas leak in a kitchen, and the cause of the fire is being investigated by the city fire department.

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Picturing the Southern Pacific as a vampire sucking the life blood of the Owens River Valley, ex-Mayor Eaton, before President. Heleman of the State Railroad Commission as a witness in the case of the Jobbers of Los Angeles against the Southern Pacific, requesting decreased rates on commodity shipments to and from Los Angeles and the Owens valley. Eaton painted a glowing picture of the prosperity that would attend on the valley were rates lowered.

"We are cooped up there by the railroad," declared Eaton. "Our prices, our prosperity, our business is all dictated by what the Southern Pacific calls tariff rates. Strangers come to our valley, marvel at the climate, the beauty of our country, but they flee as from the plagues when they hear of our freight rates."

"It is a valley asleep, under a spell of exorbitant rates," he declared. "I have seen acres of apple orchards, most of it the best apple land in the world, but we have only 75,000 acres in cultivation and but 100,000 acres of apples. We have room for 100,000 more people. We have 100,000 acres of land that are making a money tree, worth two dollars a yard and we have everything and we have nothing, because rates are from 10 to 117 per cent. higher than rates on similar commodities traveling the same distance as separates us from Los Angeles, our natural and protected market."

In all the testimony offered for the Associated Jobbers and for the Chamber of Commerce, which appeared as intervenor in the case, the mingled pessimism in speaking of the valley's present, and optimism in speaking of its future, in the complaint submitted it is alleged the commodity rates, both on outside and less-than-carload shipments are excessive, unjust, unreasonable and in contravention to Sec. 13 of the Public Utility Act.

Testimony showed that the general merchandise rate from Los Angeles to Owens Valley points is \$12 a hundred weight, where the rate prevailing between equivalent points elsewhere in the State is \$4.50. The iron pipe rate was shown to be \$1.15 for 100 pounds, where 42 cents is the normal rate. It was also shown that blacksmith coal, costing \$17 per ton in Los Angeles, absorbs \$10.10 in freight charges before it gets to the valley, while a carload of cattle absorbs 10 cents before it gets to Los Angeles, 244 miles. The rate on sheep is given as \$3 for 100 pounds, absolutely precluding shipment of any but fancy stuff.

Secretary Oregon and Attorney Joseph L. Loch are handling the case for the jobbers, while William H. Hinwood of Bishop represents the intervenors.

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THAT'S THE TICKET  
THREE SETS.  
MAYBE FOUR.  
Charter Amendments to Have  
Final Hearing Today.  
All Provisions of Citizens  
Committee Included.  
Control of Harbor Arranged  
for by City Attorney.

STAFF OF LIFE.  
Cooking School Sees  
How to Make Bread.  
Little Gems Are Her  
Little Dough-balls.  
Grain of Wheat Best  
for Good Results.

Three sets of charter amendments and perhaps four, will go before the people at the common council election, the date of which has been set for March 11. The Council will take final action on the subject and definitely set the election date.

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# Bradford's

## The White Enameled Bakery

—Bradford doesn't merely talk a clean bakery and clean bread—but he has the bakery to back up his talk. Not another bakery in Los Angeles is white enameled throughout as is the Bradford bakery—the walls, the ceilings, the ovens, the machinery, the bread trays and racks, the shipping rooms. The bread boxes that carry Bradford's bread to your grocer are white enameled inside and out, and even the inside of the auto deliveries are this same pure white.

# Bradford's CREAM BREAD

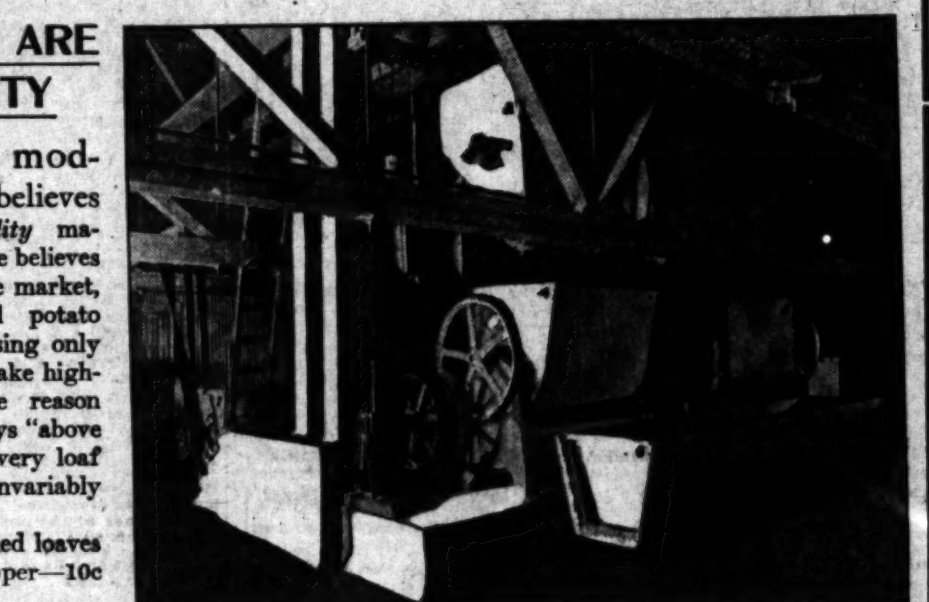
—The bread that is produced entirely, from start to finish, by modern methods and machinery—without hands once touching it. Few bakeries anywhere in the country are equipped with the modern machinery as is "Bradford's"—not one other in Los Angeles. These machines are expensive—we don't spare expense, when it improves the bread.

Cleanliness with Bradford means the utmost that word stands for, and we're only too happy to show visitors through our bakery and show them what Bradford means by "cleanliness." Wouldn't you be interested in seeing the big, busy, clean bakery, in seeing our methods and machinery, in posting yourself as to which is the cleanest bakery in Los Angeles. We invite you to visit the "White Enameled Bakery" any time you wish.

## MATERIALS USED ARE HIGHEST QUALITY

Bradford believes in modern machinery—but he believes also in putting only first quality materials into these machines. He believes in buying the best flour in the market, in making his own hop and potato yeast fresh every day—in using only highest quality materials to make highest quality bread. This is the reason why Bradford's Bread is always "above par"—why you always find every loaf up to standard and why it is invariably "the matchless loaf."

—Large, well-browned, well-baked loaves in attractive parchment wrapper—10c at all dealers.



# Bradford Baking Co.

Bradford's is the only bakery west of Chicago equipped with this newest, modern sifting and blending outfit. It insures perfectly sifted, clean flour.

**LETTERS TO "THE TIMES"**

One Set of Associates Enough.  
EAST LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17.—[To the Editor of the Times:] Dear General: I am anxious to have a reform put in force, namely, have only one set of officers and offices for the city of Los Angeles. Our wonderful reform administration does not work. Now, a question that no one will defend, as it is now? We need a business administration.

Even Molly-coddle Earl admits that our city needs reform. The "Goo" rule. I am sure that there are very many that voted with the G.O.'s who would be exceeding glad to again vote for a regular Republican. This talk about "people's ruling" is merely a coddle talk. Of course they may rule by delegate system, but everyone being equal is rank nonsense. Every gang of men must have a leader, a boss. Give three men equal power on a job of work and they are sure to work against each other—each will want to do the work his own way. A bossless team without a manager or captain would amount to nothing—but wrangle.

Let us show the people that the real Republicans can really fight (not give one bark like the Municipal News did, at my urgent request, and hide out) for a real reform. This would do away with useless offices without doing the Goo-Goo act of adding a lot more to take their places. I am much pleased with your excellent position of Goo-Goo and Progressive reforms. Was there ever a bond issue proposed that Earl did not urge the people to vote for? The Progressive party's emblem should be a crawling fish.

**CONFUSION OF YEARS.**

Indian Homesteads Run Over from One Period to Another and Under Same Name to Recover.  
Judge Weillorn decided an important homestead question yesterday involving the right of cancellation of transfers made by Indians. The land is in Inyo county and the case was filed in the government against Peter Walline and Alexander Hogue. A demurrer to the complaint was filed by the defendants but the court overruled it, and the Indians will now be compelled to come into court and answer.

In the act of 1875 five years was the limit that the Indians would be compelled to hold the lands given them by the government; the law of 1884 made the period twenty-five years and an act which only applied to the Winnebago Indians placed the limit at twenty years. In the Wallace case both application for home-land and final proof was made while the act of 1875 was in effect and prior to the enactment of the Indian homestead act of 1884 prescribing a true period of twenty-five years, but the patent was not issued until the last act became operative. The government claims that, in the case of final proof under the act of 1875 the Indians had no vested right, and that the trust period was subject to the power of Congress to change; that the act of 1884 was such a change and that the twenty-five-year trust period applied to the patent instead of the five-year period under the act of 1875.

In the Hogue case the application for the patent was made under the act of 1875, but final proof was not completed until after the law of 1884 had taken effect.

**SPOT LIGHT ON STORES.**

Industrial Investigating Committee Hears Complaints on Wages and Basement-Room Conditions.  
The results of a preliminary skimming by the Industrial Investigations Committee of the City Council were reported last night at the committee's meeting. The survey was undertaken to ascertain the scale of wages and the cost of living in Los Angeles. The wages paid by department stores were reviewed and a woman employed in one of them gave voluntary testimony on alleged unsatisfactory conditions in the basement-rooms of some establishments.

Mrs. M. E. Johnson, a member of the commission, told of her investigations into department store wages. "I had given about one year to the study of wages in this city before we began our recent investigations," Mrs. Johnson said. "I learned that the larger stores have a uniform scale of \$4 to \$6 a week for cash girls. Women clerks are started at about \$8 a week at most of the stores, but the

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and Dresses  
For Spring Wear

If the little babies could only talk they would quickly tell you how much they would appreciate one of our pretty and dainty new bonnets for spring.

We have just received a shipment of new and attractive effects in

### Baby Bonnets

In the hand-embroidered French lawn, ribbed silk, crepe de chine, etc., that are the very essence of daintiness. Fine lace, cotton or a touch of artificial flowers are used to adorn these pretty bonnets. Prices range \$2.50 to \$5.00. We also show dainty bonnets at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

### Children's Spring Headwear

Hats and bonnets in white pique for children 2 to 5 years. Prices range from 75c up.

### White Pique Coats

For children 1 to 6 years. Nobby coats for little tots, made of white pique. Collars, hand-embroidered in English eyelet or blind work. Dainty effects priced from \$1.50 to \$3.00.

### Children's Middy Dresses

For ages 3 to 7. Made of white galles or pique. Some have sailor collars of plain color, trimmed with a touch of colored band trimming. The White Middy is laced with either red or blue.

### Children's Wash Dresses

For Ages 3 to 6—Price \$1.50.

At this popular price we show dresses in pink ribbons with gimpes of tucks, white crepe de chine, madras with collar, cuffs and white pique, embroidered in red and trimmed with a touch of colored edging. Also dresses in plain colored chambray trimmed with white band trimming.

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The Best Lubricants

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THE scot-deposit forming elements are eliminated to the greatest possible extent. HARRIS OILS have body and flow freely. They are especially designed, manufactured and adapted to automobile use. A practical test will prove that they excel any other lubricants on the market.

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Six Stores Give Big Purchasing Power.  
Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Fresno, Seattle, Spokane.

Via the Salt Lake Route  
To San Bernardino,  
February 18th to 22nd.

## Orange Show Excursions

From Los Angeles, \$2.35 for round trip, good to return until Feb. 23.  
Five Daily Trains and Good Service.  
Tickets at 601 South Spring Street and First Street Station.

Our Factories at Richmond, Indiana, are the largest of their kind in the World.

## The Starr Piano Company

Warehouses and Executive Office for Pacific Coast,  
628-630-632 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, Cal.  
Sold for cash or on monthly payments.

## Dr. W. F. Huddel

Reliable Dentist  
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## USE CANTHROX SHAMPOO

MAKE IT AT HOME

The cost is small; fifteen shampoos for fifty cents. It is easy to make, delightful to use and certain in its beneficial effect. Just dissolve a teaspoonful of Canthrox in a cup of hot water and your hair-preserving shampoo is ready.

The one absolute necessity for hair beauty is scalp health, which is insured by shampooing with Canthrox, because it cleans so thoroughly and satisfactorily. Dust, excessive oil and dandruff disappear at once, leaving the hair soft, thick, lustrous and easy to dress. Sample shampoo mailed free.

H. S. PETERSON & CO., CHICAGO.







Van Wig. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Frank Fowler Ross, and guests were Mrs. Ernest Hamilton, Mrs. William Warren Ross, Mrs. C. Stanley, Mrs. Earl F. Lee, Mrs. Louis Wilbur, Mrs. James B. Smith, Mrs. Ralph L. Snodgrass, Mrs. J. Bourne, Mrs. Samuel Jay, Mrs. J. Van Wig, Louis C. Ross, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Claude Myers, Mrs. Martin Van Wig of Ontario, Mrs. Hazel Campbell, Miss Flora McCallister, Miss Louise Lyons, Miss Mitchell of Pasadena, and Miss Ann Bowermaster of Pomona.

**Society.**

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—Special—  
**Princess Dressers**  
**\$10.95**





**Bullock's**  
Department of Beauty

Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Secondo Gasti of 3500 West Adams street will leave Wednesday for New Orleans and will be visited.

Mrs. Miller Entertains.

Mrs. John E. Miller entertained at dinner at the Alexandria last evening in honor of the Hawaiian team. Following the dinner the party attended the Warfield production "Peter Grim" at the Mason.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Dillingham, Harold Castle and Arthur Hill, Honolulu, Miss Elizabeth Scott, Pasadena, and Miss Edith Scott, New York.

Ballroom was gaily decorated with hearts and cupid and the orchestra was unopposed near the stage, and an appropriate selection of instrumental music. A great number of the evening was the post-dinner which valentines were distributed by a most attractive Thornton.

Mrs. Alexander Thornton, who composed with an intelligent knowledge of the recipient's life, presented the reading of which was a great success. Such fair demoi-selles as Miss Constance Colwell, Miss Marion Lawton and such heart-received as many as twenty valentines from ardent but New York.

Large handsome Princess Dressing in

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*Manhattan*  
Shirts

His heavy shirts that for years

Arrives at Cairo.  
A cable to D. F. Robertson announces the safe arrival at Cairo, Egypt, of Dr. G. C. Serrano, Mary Serrano, Mrs. M. Barker and Mrs. Charles Peterson and Mrs. Arthur Scott, who left the city November 12, 1918, on a tour around the world. Mrs. Serrano is 27 years of age, is in perfect health and throughout the long voyage has never been sick.

...was served at a late hour and the guests to go home Tuesday morning.

...at the Country Club.  
...a good deal of social and ... of each of the country clubs on Sunday.  
...luncheon and bridge parties around the world. Mrs. Serrano, ... afternoon at the Los Angeles Country Club, Mrs. Davis, C. M.

*El La Jon Ranch*  
*Miss Ann Jones*



...solid golden oak, with genuine beveled plate mirror. Regular \$14.00. Walnut. Your choice of oval or shaped mirror. Special for this sale, \$10.95.

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—He buys shirts that for years have been distinctive leaders—because they were essentially distinctive—  
—Because a coterie of men determined to make it their life work to make *Manhattan Shirts*, there has been put into these shirts all the skill,

IF I FAIL TO CURE any CANCER or TUMOR  
TREAT BEFORE IT POSES DANGERS or Deep Ulcers  
**No KNIFE or PAIN**  
**NO PAY UNTIL CURED**

**AUDITING OF BOOKS.**  
 A meeting of the Finance Committee of the county grand jury with the Board of Supervisors will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the Hall of Records when important business will be transacted.

**ABSOLUTE GUARANTEE**  
 Any TUBS, LINEN or SPONGES that do not clean or last more than 30 days in any household are money refunded. No X-Ray or other scientific method used.

**120-PAGE BOOK** sent free. Testimonials of thousands cured at home. Write to name.

—We want you to see for yourself.  
 —We want Los Angeles men who have never been in Bullock's to see the *new Spring Manhattan Shirts* that have just come.

changes in auditing books of the various county departments will be discussed. Auditor Lewis has a staff of seven men working as a special auditing department under him, and the permanency of this body will be discussed. It is expected that the supervisors will make important suggestions.

*Journal Bridge, 12/19/36*

Oranges, Oranges and Yet More Oranges!  
 and the striking designs, which delighted thousands at the opening of the great citrus exposition at San Ber-

Lungs Were Affected  
 Now In Good Health

A Skin of Beauty is a Joy Forever  
 —And at \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 Manhattan  
 Shirts that will open your eyes, they set such a

...and Mrs. W. E. Keller, ... Guy Bush and Carl ... at informal din- ... the evening. ... included a number

**Avalanche of Gold.**  
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Home Builders, are claimed as ex-  
empt.

In the list of assets, patents and  
copyrights are valued at \$6000; debts

It is beyond human power to perform  
miracles. The makers of Eckman's Al-  
terative, a remedy for Constipation, do not  
claim that it will restore every one to per-  
fect health, but so many have voluntarily  
testified it saved their lives that all who  
have this dread disease should invest in  
and try it. It should stop the night sweats.

**D. L. KELLA GENUINE'S ORIGINAL**  
**CREAM OR MAGICAL WHITENER**

—Variety, quality, style, each has been put in  
great measure in each and every Manhattan  
Shirt Bullock's has. Buy several Tuesday.

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Outside the Country Club saw her husband and Mrs. J. H. Jones, one of the business men, with a bridge luncheon on the afternoon. Daffodils and daisies were on the tables and the

DATE OF PROMISE.

Outside there is a midway and inside during the week there will be entertainment of sundry character. The stranger within the gate will not be admitted to the club.

AWAY FROM CARES.

other in the same amount, is an accident policy in the Pacific Mutual made payable to his wife. The amount in cash in the banks is \$33.60.

My brother then recommended Eckman's Alternative to me very highly. At first I would not consent to use it, owing to the fact that I had taken so many medicines without being helped in any way, but finally I consented. It is now nearly two years since I first took it. I am now cured and I dare say that I would have

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FEAR T. HOPKINS, Prop. 37 Canal Street, New York

**Davis-Self-Oiling**

**Polishing Mop** Always old and ready to work. No more soiled hands, no more

after the preliminary summer last evening the flags were thrown back and all San Bernardino and their uncles, cousins and aunts flocked to enjoy the beauties of the exhibit. There were still some rough spots, but by today these will have gone and the fair will be a success.

Excursions \$3.00

Thursday is sacred to Los Angeles county. The Southern Pacific has invited members of the Los Angeles Traffic Association and their wives, 200 persons in all, to be its guests at the show that day. A special train is to be provided, leaving here at 8:40 a.m.; Seventh Street, 842. Returns via Southern Pacific 7:00 p.m. Tickets at 601 South Spring Street, and Station. P.S.—Fare on Sundays is \$2.00.

**Last Call**

AS A CLEAN CUT BUSINESS PROPOSITION, THIS SHOULD INTEREST YOU. THINK IT OVER.

**The Nature Form**

—To have your own accurate figure to sew on—bring out your own artistic

Among those who met the visitors were Mrs. Wm. H. Miller and Mr. Frank. . . .

**Musician Asks Relief of Courts With Fifty Thousand Dollars Liabilities; Half That in Assets.**

Harry Girard, well-known in the musical and theatrical circles of this city, has been ordered to appear in court to answer charges of bankruptcy. He claims to have liabilities of fifty thousand dollars and assets of only half that amount.

**Wedge of Cheese**

At the Los Angeles Convention hall, a large wedge of cheese was presented to the visitors. It was a gift from the local chapter of the American Cheese Producers' Association.

**Wednesday, February 19, Midnight**

At the Los Angeles Convention hall, a large wedge of cheese was presented to the visitors. It was a gift from the local chapter of the American Cheese Producers' Association.

**Designs**

Designs, effects that you and you alone know will surely become you—  
—to cut, fit and finish everything without once trying it on yourself until complete—  
—These and many more are the pleasures derived in sewing on a dress-form that is exactly like YOU.

**Gowns**

Gowns, shirtwaists, underwear, etc., everything that you have previously presumed none but the professional seam-

city, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday. His assets are scheduled at \$51,052.35 and his liabilities at \$23,520.14. The secured claims amount to \$2400. A cash loan by the Stellar

**Library Ready for Dedication**  
The new library, built by the gift of Andrew Carnegie, and will be turned over to the public in the handsome building, showing the city the new library. The library is now open for the public to use. The library is now open for the public to use. The library is now open for the public to use.

—By a patented process of manufacture and scientific system of measurement, we produce for you a figure—arms, bust, chest and waist—that is exactly like YOU.

—So constructed that it can easily be taken apart for storing or travel—can be adjusted in a moment's time to any size or position—durable, light, composed of paper mache.

private entrance to the vestibule and her side as one to the basement. The vestibule leading from the main entrance to the lobby is in white marble, and the three high glass partitions between the vestibule and the lobby are of Pasadena, Mrs. Andrews' design. The vestibule is the most romantic spot in Southern California—The view of Los Angeles is magnificent—Laurel Canyon Heights is owned by this Company—Over 750 lots in the subdivision—all picturesque, \$200 up—

These are the assets behind the stock—today and Wednesday.

**Shares Today and Wednesday 12c**  
**—Thursday 13c—March 2nd 14c**

and so they keep on going up—BUY NOW—

etc., all the way down to the bottom of the upper floor by a set of stairs. The furniture of the room is being put in place and everything is in readiness for the reception of the guests.

Surrounded by a pure tiled wall, the room is a very comfortable one. The furniture is of the best quality and the room is very comfortable.

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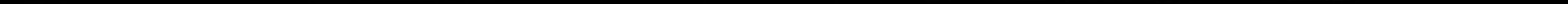
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## DANO'S STAND.

The last stand for the race track was taken by the Senate of Idaho when it killed a bill intended to prohibit race-track gambling. It is hardly necessary for any Legislature to seek to eliminate horse racing. The automobile is doing that more completely than any law could do it.

## A N EASY PROPOSITION.

The last bit of available harbor property at San Pedro was purchased a few days ago for \$1,500,000. Getting rich is so easy. One has only to discover an ocean and then acquire the coast and hold it until the nearest city decides to develop a big harbor.

## A CAPABLE INSTRUCTOR.

J. Pierpont Morgan has gone to Egypt. It is believed that his appearance before the money trust committee at Washington attracted the attention of the Sphinx, who desires to take lessons from the American magnate on the proper way of going into the silence.

## SAD NEWS.

A young American woman of London is under arrest for having punched the face of a policeman who tried to prevent her from making a speech on suffrage. That is no way to convert a policeman to a good cause and no one knows it better than the average American woman. In fact, when this young lady became militant she expatriated herself.

## EASILY ANSWERED.

A Superior judge is to consider the question of when a woman is too old to marry. This is not a poser. A lady is entitled to orange blossoms and the Lo-heing march at any age or stage that nature is willing. The fact that this question has been raised by a lady of 105, whose license is protested by her relatives, is only an advertisement for this climate.

## PERMANENT.

The Photoplayers' Club raised a large sum of money by a grand ball and will apply it to the construction of a clubhouse. Canned drama has come to stay and it will be more popular than ever when the pictures begin to speak. Los Angeles will always be the home of more motion picture actors than any other city in the world because of the varied and lovely scenery available as an out-of-door stage setting.

## DOMESTIC.

The fair coeds at Berkeley are to study a solution of the high cost of living. It is easy to dismiss their experiments with the suggestion that they learn to make round steak taste like a porterhouse, but the situation holds possibilities worthy of more serious consideration. Any earnest endeavor to eliminate extravagance without denial that impairs strength deserves attention and respect.

## UNFAIR.

A perfectly respectable donkey with nothing vicious proven against his character was dragged into a modern ballroom at Pasadena and forced to remain through what was to him a distasteful evening as a part of the decorations. A donkey is not a ballroom ornament; a donkey is natural scenery and is a part of the landscape. Society has no business forcing donkeys to become unnatural.

## EVERYTHING GOES.

At an entertainment the other night a negro woman on the stage with barbarous earrings, a necklace of tiger's teeth and broad, ivory bracelets happened to look down into the nearest box at a queen of fashion. Straightway the old challenge ever passing between women in the first vivid measuring glance passed between them. The black woman shrugged her shoulders and smiled with a certain imperious understanding of her kind. She had witnessed herself mirrored by evolution and had felt what Kipling thought when he said that "the colonel's lady and Julia O'Grady are sisters under the skin."

## THE LAW'S DELAY.

Dickens's description of the case of Jarndyce vs. Jarndyce, where Miss Flite expected to get a judgment on the day of judgment, did much to expedite the chancery practice of the British courts. Our United States Supreme Court has the power to do away with the interminable delays that attend upon equity practice in United States courts.

It has exercised this power now by the adoption of a rule abolishing the technical forms of equity pleadings. Demurrers and dilatory pleas will not hereafter be allowed to procrastinate proceedings. Errors and defects in the pleadings and proceedings which do not affect the substantial merits of the case will be disregarded. Masters in chancery will lose their jobs. Except when provided by act of Congress the testimony of witnesses will be taken orally in open court and there will be a general hurry-up policy to take the place of the system of inefficiency of which is strikingly illustrated by the Edison patent case with respect to the automatic telegraph system. This case was begun in 1876 and after thirty-six years' delay is still pending.

A measure of reform would be one allowing a defendant in a civil case who wins to have, as a part of his costs from the defeated plaintiff, a reasonable counsel fee. This would do much to reduce the volume of speculative litigation which now takes up so much of the time of courts.

## CRAZY LEGISLATION.

The bill of Senator Birdsell, introduced in the California Legislature, requiring children in schools to wear uniform clothes and prohibiting the wearing of silk stockings, red hair, colored shirts and patent leather shoes, meets a long-felt want as far as it goes, but it does not go far enough. The appearance of Tooplous on North Broadway wearing black and white checkered breeches, a bob-tailed, corduroy coat, smoking a clay pipe (Tooplous, not the coat), and leading a pink-eyed, brass-collared, flea-bitten, white bulldog ought, in the interest of aesthetic attire, to be prevented by law.

The bill of Senator Cohn to have the Governor appoint two experts to go abroad at a cost to the State of \$7500 to study financial markets and credit systems of various countries in Europe is a skimping and parsimonious bill. Why not let the Governor's henchmen a chance? Let Holy Hiram appoint twenty instead of two commissioners and give them \$10,000 each. They could study financial systems at the Cicerio de Litas in Paris and return with a fund of knowledge on various subjects that might be useful to Holy Hiram and Tooplous. It would only cost \$200,000 and, since it is the purpose of the Progressives to skin the taxpayers alive with \$52,000,000 of expenditure, why not give the boys a liberal share of the enticement?

The constitutional amendment proposed by Senator Farwell authorizing a candidate for office to dictate the editorials in a newspaper and discipline the writer who refuses to comply with his demands is an amendment which will receive the support of people who are tired of the freedom of the press. Under it a predatory capitalist might retain Jack Johnson to go into the establishment of our steamed Progressive contemporaries, where he would order Tooplous to write an article favoring a rate of \$1 per thousand feet for gas, and confessing himself to be a fawning, hypocritical, rebating, glass-eyed, spindle-shanked son of a brass foundry or, for failure to thus describe himself, Jack Johnson would sue the form of Tooplous.

The Sunday rest law of Assemblyman Benedict is another halfhearted measure. It prohibits the baking of bread on Sundays. Why not include Tuesdays and Thursdays and let people gnaw crackers half the time? It prevents selling or eating ice cream or candy on Sundays between 9 o'clock a.m. and 1 o'clock p.m. That will only prevent the chewing of gum during morning service on Sundays. Why not stop it during evening service as well? Must a preacher be compelled at night to look down upon hundreds of moving jaws. The bill makes it a misdemeanor for anyone to sell or give away drugs for several hours on Sunday. Why not stop the sale or donation of drugs altogether? Drugs are unwholesome, and it is the opinion of many undertakers and cremators that not enough people die, anyhow.

Assemblyman Bush has a bill to provide for the sterilizing and registration of all wiping rags. He is probably in with the vendors of caustic soda, for the proposed law requires that all wiping rags must, before being used, be boiled for forty minutes in a solution containing 5 per cent of caustic soda—that is, he is the rag man of any article of clothing. But why this limitation? Why not require a similar cooking of rags used as pocket handkerchiefs? Are human noses less worthy of protection than automobile cushions?

The Times has noticed but a few of the many crank bills now pending before the Legislature at Sacramento. The record reads like a report of the proceedings of a moot Legislature in an asylum for the insane.

There are many grating calling for the appointment by the Governor of hundreds of commissioners at high salaries to supervise every business, trade and profession at a cost altogether of about ten millions of dollars.

How do the taxpayers of California like the menu of the Progressive Governor and Progressive legislators they have placed in power?

## THE DUTY OF GOOD CITIZENS.

From murdering to walking a sidewalk as a picket all crime lies in the intent. The act does not constitute crime unless the mind be guilty. "The law," said Carr, "passes by the unconscious deeds of the body to arraign the lurking mischief of the soul." The intent alone is not a crime unless followed by some act, however slight, to effect the intent, but, with the intent and act thus conjoined, the crime is committed. In a celebrated murder case, prosecuted by Daniel Webster, the man who drove the knife into the heart of his victim escaped, but his accomplice, who walked the streets to warn the murderer in case anyone should approach, was convicted and hung.

Gompers avers that a great wrong is committed by enjoining picketing. "Has a man not a right," he asks, "to walk the streets?" That depends. If he walks there in order to illegally prevent somebody else from walking there he commits both a statutory and common-law crime. Such crime may be prevented by injunction. Its commission may be punished by a criminal court, or he who disobeys the injunction may be punished for contempt of court, or both penalties may be inflicted.

The lawmaker who votes for an act of Congress or of a State Legislature to prohibit the issuance of injunctions against the commission of crimes is recreant to his obligations. He is ready for the next step which would be to enact a simple and comprehensive law to strike the word "not" out of all laws, divine or human in their origin, beginning with the Ten Commandments and ending with the penal statutes of the State.

Equally guilty with the perpetrator of an act of wrongdoing is the cowardly journalist who incites him to the deed. There are, says a recent writer, "possessors of the public ear whose mental vision is degraded by social and political diphtheria. Their mentality is congenitally cock-eyed. In our public life are many men who rarely say what they see, and others who rarely see what they say." Evil laws, such as Gompers and his gang would wrest from Congress, and assinine laws such as Holy Hiram's "Progressive" legislators threaten to enact at Sacramento, are the offspring to a great extent of popular indifference to the public welfare. The trimmer, the coward, the schemer and trickster in public

## Bridge That Carried Him Over.



Life obtains and retains office largely because he finds the elements in the community from which he comes which his representation satisfies. The river cannot climb out of the valley.

"The stream with a more sure eternal tendency seeks not the ocean, than a corrupt, degenerate and voluptuous populace their own devouring slavery."

Few representatives, it may be said, are conscious wrongdoers. They generally desire to do the right thing, but find it difficult to do so. They need encouragement when they are right, rebuke when they are wrong. They require the abiding interest of citizens conscious of their own public duty, who keep reasonably well informed of public affairs, who keep in touch with their representative and show an interest in his public career, who do the right thing by him on election day if he does the right thing on other days.

"If we leave a legislator to the tender mercies of bosses, and bulldozing journalists, and political terrorists what right have we to criticize his conduct?"

If the people will give the same systematic and organized attention to public affairs and to practical politics that they do to minor affairs it will not be difficult for them to establish a formidable movement that will enable them at the next election to rid themselves of such trash as now misrepresents them in the legislative halls and in the executive offices.

"Hereditary bondsmen, know ye not Who would be free themselves must strike the blow."

## FOURTY PER CENT. ROOSEVELT.

Who will forget how we all—Republicans, Progressives and even some Democrats—whooped it up for Col. Roosevelt when, from his seat on the back of his hunting elephant, he decimated the jungles of Africa of tigers and lions and wolves, and, in his canoe on the rivers of the dark continent, caused the alligators and hippopotami to dive when they saw him coming? Nor did he neglect to secure the lighter products of the chase. Birds, and birds' eggs, and birds' nests, and frogs, and toads, and snakes went into his bag, and on bat-pins he impaled butterflies and dragon flies and caterpillars and fleas.

The colonel has just turned over to the Smithsonian Institution the result of his hunting tour consisting of skins and stuffed specimens, according to our steamed Progressive morning contemporary, as follows: "Mammals, 9513; birds, 4483; birds' eggs and nests, 131; reptiles and batrachians, 2235; fish, 447; plants, 5135; insects, 3500; shells, 1500; miscellaneous invertebrates, 650; total, 23,769 specimens."

We credited this illustrious American nindrod with using a portion of the savings of his seven years' occupation of the White House at \$50,000 and \$75,000 per to enrich the national museum of his country.

And now, alas and alas for the colonel's reputation for liberality, it turns out that three-fifths of the cost of this hunting trip of the colonel and his son and his stenographer and their helpers was paid by a lot of loathsome capitalists. It was G. W. Perkins and D. O. Mills and Andrew Carnegie and Ellhu Root and Isaac N. Seligman and twenty-five in the steerage who paid the bills, while the colonel had the fun of shooting hyenas and riding striped jackasses in the valley of the Congo.

The next thing we shall hear will be that, while the colonel dictated the policies of Egypt, and was snubbed by the Pope of Rome, and lunched with Emperor Bill, and told Asquith what not to do, and compelled the President of France to wear an American flag on his coat lapels, and kept a corps of cable correspondents at work chronicling the glories of his triumphant march among the tottering thrones of Europe, he did it all at only 40 per cent, of cost, the other 60 per cent, being paid by thirty of the predatory rich men of America.

## CHEERFUL GRAVEYARDS.

A Chicago rich widow, who is an authoress, has the artistic temperament, and has it to a degree that would have excited the admiration of Michael Angelo, and Rubens, and Phidias. She proposes to work a reformation in mortuary architecture that will make a cemetery as cheerful as a dance hall with the bunny hug going at the rate of fifty miles an hour. For her own tombstone she has designed a figure of herself as Hope draped in evening gown, cut low, with her head crowned with

an Easter bonnet with a twenty-eight-inch brim, surmounted by a bunch of ostrich feathers as tall as the tail of an adult ostrich. "Nobody will weep when they see my tombstone," says the lady. "They will rejoice."

She has not yet given to the reporters an opportunity to inspect the monument she will have at the grave of her late lamented husband. Probably it will be a figure of him arrayed as a Chicago militia colonel, with his breast covered with military decorations, on his face an expression of seraphic joy at the thought that he will no longer be required to pay the dressmaker's bill of his widow; his left hand holding a sequence of hearts, and his right hand holding to his lips a trombone on which he is supposed to be playing a lil of rejoicing at his successful getaway from the lady.

The idea of this widow ought to be introduced in local cemeteries. The burial plot of our steamed Progressive contemporaries might be made exceedingly attractive. Gates ajar riding a Bull Moose and, with a voice tremulous with joy, exclaiming "I have helped to raise the taxes \$52,000,000," Lisnerki, holding aloft three golden balls and shouting to the other Progressives, "Bring your winter overcoats to your Uncle Meyer," and Tooplous, in the attitude of picking the pockets of an orange grower, and voice attuned to a song of rejoicing:

"Sit by me, public, dear, and loudly sing: I was the big boss of the Goo-Goo ring. Praise my vain soul with honeyed words Sweeter than song of birds."

## UNCLE WALT.

The Post Philosopher.

There is a pill for every ache, a salve for every sore, so let's rejoice and never make a rumus any more. There is a poultice for each head, for every pain some dose; until the doctors say he's dead, no man should give up hope. I knew a man once on a time, who had no store of cash; he said this world was but a crime, and all its glories trash; and so he got a neighbor's ax, and by the old horse trough, with sundry strong and skillful whacks he chopped his headpiece off. Next week a lawyer printed and announcing that this knave had fallen heir to heaps of seas, but he was in his grave. The darkest hour, as Homer saith, is just before the dawn; there's often comfort just ahead, when all hope seems gone. There is a syrup for each cough, a lance for every boil, so never think to shuffle off some yards of mortal coil. Misfortune hits us now and then, but it we bravely grin, she'll go punting westward men, and push their faces in. There is a cure for every wart, a plaster for each corn, so let us like the colts cavort, and laugh our fears to scorn.

WALT MASON.

## WHY STORMS WERE FIRED.

[California Advertiser.] Prof. Storms, ex-State Mineralogist, says he paid Gov. Johnson in full for his appointment when he kept his agreement with the Governor to give a job in his office to one of the Governor's lady friends. Storms insists that the agreement between him and the Governor was that the woman should have the position, but there was no agreement that she should be kept in office regardless of her capacity or ability to fulfill her duties. Storms says he never saw the woman before he made the agreement to employ her, but that she came to him from the Governor, the price fixed for her wages was by Gov. Johnson at \$125 per month as a typist. Storms says that she was not only not a typist but she could not even spell ordinary words, and instead of being worth \$125 was really not worth \$55 per month. As a consequence she was discharged on the ground of incapacity and inefficiency; whereas Gov. Johnson explodes and accuses the professor of ingratitude. There is an question raised as to the fitness of Prof. Storms for the position of State Mineralogist, for Johnson wrote him that California was fortunate in having so able a man for the position. Nevertheless Storms was fired, and the lesson will be to the future that the next woman who comes to him from Johnson gets her pull, or what is her ability or fitness. He must give her the job, ask no questions as to her past, and pay the salary dictated to him.

The high price of eggs might be materially reduced if the school children would celebrate the coming arbor day by planting a few egg plants. The unscrubbed kind preferred.

## ONE JOLLY GOOD BILL.

A Legislative Measure That Is Beyond the Reach of Criticism.

The following bill was introduced in the State Senate January 29 by Senator J. B. Sanford of Mendocino county. It appears on page 253 of the Senate Daily History under this synopsis:

17—Sanford, Jan. 29. To Com. on Fed. R.

"Relative to appointment of a committee to draft bills abolishing all offices not now held by Bull Moores and providing for a commission of five to perform the duties formerly performed by one person."

"January 29—Introduced. To print January 31—From printer."

The text of the bill is as follows:

"Whereas, The November flood left many Bull Moores high and dry on the banks of Salt River, and

"Whereas, Bull Moores have espoused the doctrine of letting the people rule so long as they rule in the Moores way, and

"Whereas, It is a cardinal principle of 'Moores' that no one other than a Bull Moose shall hold public office in the State of California, and

"Whereas, A Bull Moose must eat; therefore, be it

"Resolved by the Senate and Assembly jointly, That a committee of three be appointed from each house to ascertain, during the recess of the Legislature, all offices not now held by Bull Moores, and that said committee be instructed to bring in bills abolishing said offices, and providing for a commission of five (at a big salary) to perform the duties formerly performed by one person; be it further

"Resolved, That when all offices are filled by the Christian soldiers who battled for the Lord at Armageddon that the civil service be invoked so that the self-anointed may hold office until the crack of doom."

MEN AND THINGS

ACROSS THE SEA.

Berlin's Street Regulations.

Berlin has become such a busy, up-to-date city, where speed has almost as much value as it has in London, Paris or New York, that new police instructions have been issued for the benefit of pedestrians as follows:

"Pedestrians are to keep to the right both on the pavements and on the roadway; anyone who comes to a standstill must choose a position where he is no hindrance to passers-by; all unnecessary halting or loitering on the roadway reserved to carriages, bicycles and motor cars is forbidden. This refers also to the crossing of the thoroughfares. Streets are to be crossed by the shortest way; that is to say, at right angles. It is recommended that the roadway shall not be crossed at any point that may be chosen at random, but at the street corners in order to have the greatest regard for safety. At crossings where police officials are on duty to regulate the traffic pedestrians are to await the moment that the traffic has been brought to a standstill before crossing. The street shall be crossed with a rapid step, without undue haste, so that the drivers may know how to direct their vehicles."

Probably the people of no other city in the world were ever given such careful instructions for their own safety.

Peers Elected for Life.

The recent election of Lord Deedes as a representative peer of Ireland calls attention to the fact that the Irish peers are to represent their constituents in the House of Lords for life and hold their places as such, no matter whether or not they subsequently receive, either by gift from the crown or by inheritance, a peerage of the United Kingdom, which carries with it, ipso facto, the prerogative of hereditary legislation. As soon as one of these representative peers dies two of his colleagues notify the Lord High Chancellor of England of the fact. The latter thereupon issues a writ, under the great seal of Great Britain, and in the name of the King, asking for the election of a successor to the defunct legislator. It is addressed to the Lord High Chancellor of Ireland.

The latter, complying with the royal command contained in the writ, dispatches, through the clerk of the crown and hanaper at Dublin, writs to every peer of Ireland summoning each of them in the name of the sovereign to send to the crown office at Dublin his vote for a representative peer to fill the vacancy. There is no meeting of the Irish peers for the purpose, as in the case of the peerage of Scotland, the members of which assemble for the purpose in Holyrood Palace at Edinburgh after each general Parliamentary election. Ireland's peers merely mail their vote in duplicate form to the hanaper office at Dublin, where one part is filed and the other forwarded to the clerk of the House of Lords.

IRELEVANCES.

[Chicago Inter Ocean.] A great many people seem to imagine that culture consists in acquiring a hatred for some particular perfectly good word and in manifesting their disgust whenever they hear or see it.

If the world seems dark let us light it with friendship and charity.

It must be a great trial to a handsome woman to have a husband who doesn't come her at all.

To read a book simply to have read it is to miss the product's finest flavor.

"Art for art's sake" is the saying. "Art for art's sake" is how it generally works out in practice.

A young man is always certain of one friend and one enemy; the first is his mother; the second is himself.

Romance is the realism of youth, realism the romance of age.

If there were no illusions in the world human happiness would demand that some be immediately created.

The future is about the only subject the shallow individual ever takes the trouble to look back.

## Pen Points: By the Sea.

The early birds are already under their Easter shopping.

Where will President Wilson go on his spring vacation? They are likely to be spotted.

Babies cannot be sent by the parcel post. They are likely to be spotted.

The officers of the battleship were been found guilty. Turn on the light.

The beautiful opera, "The Song of the States Senator," is an agent in the market.

A dollar never looks so big as when he hands it out to his wife for her expenses.

But the inaugural ball for John D. time in spite of the position of the dent-elect.

If American cruizers were sent to the interior of Mexico, instead of to the coast, it might help.

It is evident that some one has been on the gas in Gov. Cole's office; he looked the door.

And Job Harrison, he has been the Mohammedan defense for years only.

Question for the class in natural history: After March 1 will Pauline Warfield come lame duck?

The express companies which in some cases the parcel post is the best tie to.

Warm weather coming on in Los Angeles and the pen under the sea has demand attention.

No more gifts of poetry, by mail, to the cadets at Annapolis, by the Chocolate Sallies.

Favorite fiction: "Change Rags" came away from home this morning out my pocketbook.

It is evident that the Mexican cars for expenses. They have been American officers in Annapolis.

Why is it that a Redox this amounts to anything, always being wearing old-fashioned calico hats?

There is one recompense connected with the retirement of a President, is invited to so many "farewell" dinners.

Another Turkish cord with a 1000 men. That country is certainly a place for a man with a weak knee.

The tercentenary of the discovery of logarithms will be celebrated in the minor role are also well given.

The son of Gov. Johnson has retired to the prize ring. He was no more successful in landing the punch than the old man.

The average woman is not half so about burglars as she is that the thief will kick the covers off and catch her.

About time for that "strategic" assembly in Washington. Remember the body during the Spanish-American war.

Venice has a municipal song and a one of the "Horn Doves" variety, but celebrates the glories of the city.

Why doesn't Col. Bryan tell us what he is in the Cabinet? He is the stock of the occasion—his life, his life, his life.

Gambler are arranging to go to the Panama Canal zone. They want to see the waterway that until now has been a dried-to-one shot.

Sorry, but Los Angeles will not have the opportunity of seeing Mary Queen of Scots, no matter whether or not they subsequently receive, either by gift from the crown or by inheritance, a peerage of the United Kingdom, which carries with it, ipso facto, the prerogative of hereditary legislation.

"Are Men Less Charitable?" is the title of a current editorial. It is a question concerning which every man ought to give for himself.

In spite of the Democratic November about the only way to get most of us can save the country is at the same old job we had last year.

Col. William Seymour Bly of Virginia appears set to give a lecture in Los Angeles on the subject of the United States history.

The name of King Victor Italy has been removed from the voters. He ought to come to the America and get-in the police force.

Some simple all-round country young girl early in the morning is said to beauty. Winking dated in the chasing the sweater over the shoulder.

THEY WHO BEAR ARMS. "Come, shoulder arms!" cried the youth at the break of day. And forward to the battle they rode cheerfully away. And one who watched the dust of their diaphanous whenever they hear or see it.

Beyond the dust cloud, what was the young girl early in the morning is said to beauty. Winking dated in the chasing the sweater over the shoulder.

Yes, better death than this life of pain. His callist heart is broken. With cowardice best. And all that saved from the thought of meeting him in the corner of sanity up to the

## TUESDAY MORNING.

A Great Night.

AT GOODWIN AND DAVID WARFIELD.

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and the Morocco Theater company Give a Wonderful Performance of Modernized "Oliver Twist"—David Warfield's Mastery of the Living Phantoms.

BY HECTOR ALLIOT.

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The play is secondary, the admiration of the artist is the setting of the old Grimm

in the great generations of the Dutch settlers have lived and

David Warfield assumes the old and nurseryman who has re-

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Court Has Riddle to Solve  
in Settling Estate.

The unexpected arrival from San Francisco of John Campbell, a nephew and direct heir of Mrs. Margaret Rayner, the wealthy octogenarian who was mysteriously removed from her home two weeks ago, puts a new phase to the situation in the contest over her \$100,000 estate that up to yesterday had been conducted by Charles J. Campbell, her son-in-law, of a few months; Mrs. Celia Allen of No. 912 Avenue 45, one of the aged woman's self-appointed guardians, and other persons, none of whom are blood relatives. Campbell was ignorant of the situation here. He had been informed by persons whose names have not been



Mrs. Margaret Rayner, the center of a spectacular contest over a fortune of \$100,000. She was mysteriously removed from her home two weeks ago and her attorney and friends assert that she is now missing and detained against her will by persons employed by her son-in-law. The picture, taken several years ago in San Francisco before her illness, was loaned to The Times by Mrs. Sarah J. Tedford, a friend of the Rayner family for forty years.

Months ago, and he had not given the news of the recent death of Mrs. C. J. Genahies, his cousin. Campbell and his wife are guests at the Lankershim Hotel. They will be present in Probate Court this morning when several of the issues involved in Mrs. Rayner's complicated estate are set for trial. The court is expected to give attention this morning to the appointment of a guardian, to consider an alleged will in which Genahies, Allen, and others implicated in the abduction, are made beneficiaries, and to determine whether the octogenarian is mistreated and detained against her will at No. 912 Thompson street by Attorney Charles Shortridge, Mrs. Sarah J. Tedford, an old friend of Mrs. Rayner's, and others.

WOMAN ATTORNEY. Mrs. Folz, who was employed by Mrs. Rayner to defend her property from a few weeks before the disappearance, alleged forcible removal from her home to a place of hiding, has been retained by Campbell to represent his interests. "I was under the impression that my aunt was dead until I read in a San Francisco newspaper of her relocation here," Campbell said. "I did not know that Mrs. Genahies, my aunt, was dead until I arrived here with me for about a year. I have heard of the news of the death of my mother last fall, which she had heard of. Of course, I will not lose my property interests in this case, but my wife and I are concerned about the comfort and health of my aunt. As her only blood relative on the scene here, I feel I have a right to make a thorough investigation of the situation."

When Campbell and Mrs. Rayner met, Mrs. Rayner they were on an unfriendly reception by Mrs. Rayner and others of his friends who have been in constant attendance upon the aged woman since she was removed to her present quarters. Judge Rives gave directions for Mrs. Rayner to be brought to court this morning. Physicians and the nurse employed by Genahies reported that Mrs. Rayner's condition was worse yesterday than it was today. She would not be able to get up, and she would not be able to call on Mrs. Rayner and her condition. When we saw Mrs. Rayner she was in good spirits and seemed to be recovering from the exertion of attending to the estate of the deceased. Campbell went to the Courthouse yesterday afternoon to make an appeal to Judge Rives to take immediate action to relieve his aunt from her alleged bondage, but had adjourned and he did not appear.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Goldman arrived at the Van Nuys yesterday afternoon for a tour of the East. Not long ago he married Miss Jacoby of Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. T. Joslin are planning to make this their home. Mr. and Mrs. Joslin are registered at the Hotel from Prescott.



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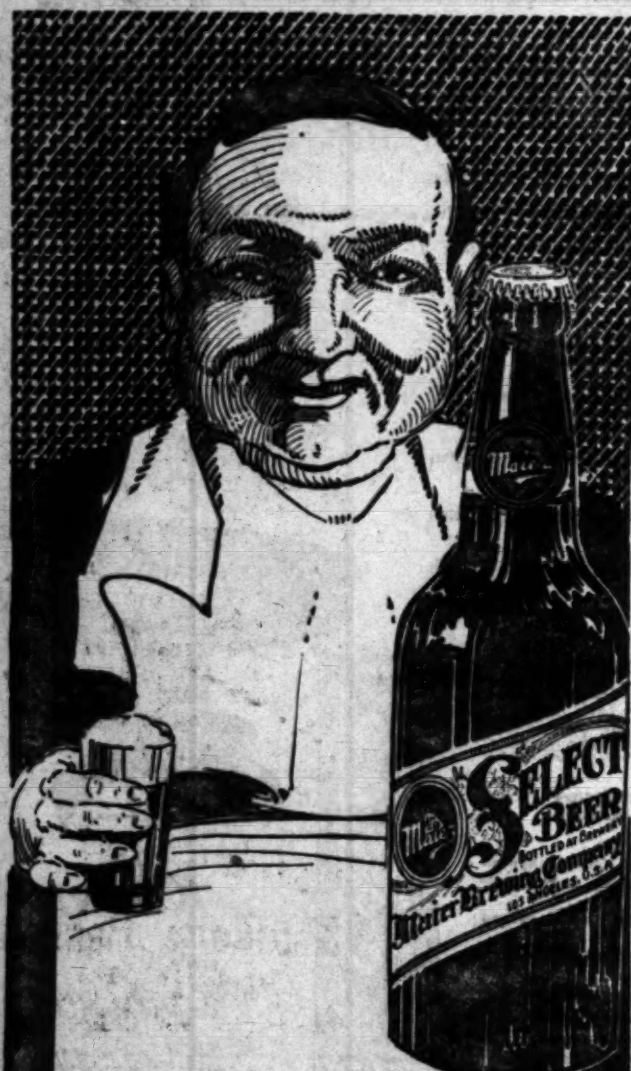
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Graham flour	.....	.....	.....	.....	Arrival oil, cases, 1-50 .....
Buckwheat flour	.....	.....	.....	.....	Blaine oil, cases, 1-50 .....
Rye flour or meal	.....	.....	.....	.....	Brown oil, cases, 1-50 .....
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	.....	.....	.....	.....	V. M. & P. sapphire, iron bids., drums .....
Outmeal, Steel Cut	.....	.....	.....	.....	V. M. & P. sapphire, cases, 1-50 .....
Cornmeal, ground	.....	.....	.....	.....	Ten Crown gasoline, cases, 1-50 .....
Hemlin, large or small	.....	.....	.....	.....	Motor gasoline, bulk .....
Cracked wheat	.....	.....	.....	.....	G. W. gasoline in bids. .....
Wheat flour	.....	.....	.....	.....	G. W. gasoline in cases .....
Wheat flour	.....	.....	.....	.....	Engine distillate, from bids., drums and .....
Pearl barley	.....	.....	.....	.....	Engine distillate, cases, 1-50 .....
Split peas, yellow	.....	.....	.....	.....	Turpentine, in cases .....
Split peas, green	.....	.....	.....	.....	

Cash, 1.574¢/bu.  
 Barley first. December, 1.374 bu. 1.25 asked  
 May, 1.300 bu. 1.25 asked; cash, 1.574  
 Afternoon session—Wheat steady, no trade  
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 Barley first. December, 1.31 bu. 1.25 asked  
 May, 1.300 bu. 1.25 asked.  
**Drefts and Silver.**  
 RAIN, FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—May 1 A.  
 Night: Wm. Silver bars, 50 Mexican dollars  
 nominal. Drafts, sight, 2½; drafts, 60  
 days, 4.

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**RUSSIA IMPORTS SEND WHEAT UP**

General Eastern.

**BUYING FORCE DEVELOPS AT THE START.**

Market Closes Steady With Some Advancing and Oats Unchanged. World Shipments Lighter Than Expected and War Talk Has Its Effect.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—(By A. P. F. Felt.)—The wheat market today was steady, with some advancing and oats unchanged. The market was well supplied, but the buying force was strong at the start. The market was well supplied, but the buying force was strong at the start.

**Chicago Grain Market.**

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**New York Grain Market.**

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## The Brilliant Playing Hawaiian Polo Team.



**Island Nabobs Who Play for Fun.**

From left to right, they are A. H. Rice, H. K. Castle, W. P. Dillingham and F. F. Baldwin.

**"FROM A CARR WINDOW."**

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**GREAT POLO BY HAWAIIANS.**

**Island Visitors Show Local Experts the Game.**

**Boise Team Is Defeated by Loped Score.**

**Baldwin and Dillingham Do Classy Work.**

**BY R. A. WINN.**

In the manner of a powerful, smoothly-running machine the Hawaiian polo team yesterday brushed aside the hard-riding Boise team and won the first match for the Hawaiian cup at Tournament Park, Pasadena, by a score of 17-4 in 2 1/2 hours.

In riding, hitting, team work and individual brilliancy the wealthy young men who form the team were a revelation to the polo enthusiasts. Mounted on superb animals, which would grace an international polo match, the Hawaiians had no trouble in outstriking the best of the Boise team.

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**CLASSY PONIES.**

The horses of the islanders knew the game as well as their riders. In the midst of a headlong rush, which resembled the best days of Santa Anita, the horses would whirl almost in their own length and be off at a tangent in eager pursuit of the ball.

**COURTESY SHOWN.**

The game was typical of polo as a gentleman's sport from the proper courtesy shown, even in the hardest struggle of a man play. With horses rearing and plunging like animals possessed, men sweating and straining every effort to hit the ball, and make shaming back and forth, there was always a quick word of apology for a rough collision or a glancing blow of the stick.

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## BIG TENNIS TOURNEY TO BEGIN ON WEDNESDAY.

**BY OWEN R. BIRD.**

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EAST MOTORS FOR ROAD RACE

Imperial Valley Classic Course. Start and Finish of Road Race. Total on Course and Time to Leave Tomorrow.

BY HERT C. SMITH. That the Imperial Valley road race will be one of the biggest races in California is the assertion of the valley townsmen who are making the contest. The entry of all sorts of big cars, and the added attraction of every small racing car there is in the valley, makes the contest one of the longest ever known in the valley.

Teddy Tottus left yesterday for the course. His headquarters will be at Imperial and he expects to spend the coming four days with the Purvis practicing on the course. He is a motor has been carefully examined and Tottus himself is in better shape than ever before. He will have to team-mate Barney Oldfield, but he does not mean that he will let Barney the slightest advantage.

These two great drivers will start the race on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. The race will be run on the Imperial valley road, and will be a most interesting contest. The race will be run on the Imperial valley road, and will be a most interesting contest.

START AND FINISH. The Imperial Valley road race will be run on the Imperial valley road, and will be a most interesting contest. The race will be run on the Imperial valley road, and will be a most interesting contest.

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## At the Hacienda of Her Ancestors.

MISCHA ELMAN  
PLAYS "FIDDLES."

VIOLINIST USES THIS NAME FOR  
HIS INSTRUMENT.

Genuine Strad, used by Joachim,  
Not for sale for Twenty Thousand  
Dollars—Fine Amati, insured for  
Thirty-five Thousand Dollars, Was  
a Present from Lord Grand Duke.

BY GREY OLIVER.

"Is this Mr. Elman?" I asked timidly  
of a little "German-looking" man  
hurrying through the lobby of the  
Alexandria yesterday at 2 o'clock.  
"Oh, is this his name?" I ventured.  
"Well, this is the real thing, and  
I'll be with you in a minute," and  
with this the little fellow dashed off  
into the dining-room again, and then  
reappeared half-running and  
breathed me up to his room for a five-  
minute talk.

And this was my introduction to  
Mischa Elman, one of the world's  
greatest violinists, who is to play here  
Monday and Saturday afternoon.

REAL STRAD.

After we got up into his room I  
asked him to show me his violin that  
he could make \$1000 with every week,  
and, going to his bed, he showed a  
case and pulled out one. I saw  
at a glance that it had the real var-  
nish, the secret of making which this  
generation has never been able to get.  
It was a real Stradivarius.

"This cost me \$10,000 in Europe  
four years ago," he said, "and I  
wouldn't take twice that for it. It's  
insured for \$25,000. It formerly be-  
longed to Joachim, and I know this  
was true, for I looked into the body  
of it and saw the magic name. It  
was made in 1722 and consequently  
is 121 years old."

He has another one—an Amati—  
which was presented to him twelve  
years ago by the Grand Duke of  
Saxony-Coburg and this one is worth  
about \$7000 and is insured for \$25,000.  
He made his reputation on this  
instrument after the Duke gave it  
to him twelve years ago.

"I've got two concerts here, to-  
morrow night and Saturday. I'm pretty  
tired, but I'll play. I've got invita-  
tions to dinners, parties, and auto-  
mobile rides, and I've got to answer  
my telephone calls," and then  
Mischa sat down to a piano in the  
room and half-wondered through an  
audience of a vulgar melody while  
trying to listen to my conversation  
with him.

STUDIED SEVEN YEARS.

"Studied the violin seven years be-  
fore I began playing in solo work  
and I've got my finger insured for \$50,  
000 in Europe."

"Made a one contract up in San  
Francisco last week," he added.  
"Signed for fifty concerts next year  
in Australia, with a guarantee of  
\$100,000," and he beamed on me as  
if he was the happiest boy in the  
world, and he must be, since he is but  
22 years old, a world-famous violinist  
and has a \$100,000 contract in his  
pocket.

"I've got fifty concerts on this tour  
and am not half through. Going back  
to New York in May and on to Lon-  
don where I am to play two months.  
I will come back to America next  
spring on my way to Australia and  
may stop in Los Angeles," he smiled  
as he bowed me out.

SHAFER IN FRONT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—(By A. P.  
Night Wire.) G. C. Shafer, former  
Columbia University player, won to-  
day his place in the semi-final round  
of the national indoor lawn tennis  
championship by defeating O.  
C. Moore, 2-6, 6-2. Shafer will meet W.  
C. C. in the final round. Shafer is  
the only player to have won the  
title in the past three years.

CHLOE THOMPSON EASY.  
SILVERDALE, Feb. 17.—Bob Mohr  
defeated Cyndie Johnson Thompson in  
a ten-round fight here tonight.  
Thompson was badly battered when  
the final bell sounded. A large crowd  
saw the fight, the limit only  
through the gates and wonderful  
enthusiasm. It was the first time  
the new commission class of 175  
years.

Lucrécia del Valle of the Mission Play at Old Camulos.  
The old homestead of the Del Valle family, which Mrs. Helen Hunt Jackson described as the home of Ramona in her great novel. Many of the  
properties used in the Mission Play came from this beautiful old Spanish home.

The First Round.

RHINES DEFEATS BANKS  
IN BILLIARD SESSION.

BERT RHINES won the first game  
of the pocket-billiard match from  
George Banks last night at  
Blackhawk Hall by the top-sided score  
of 125 to 115, making the high  
run of 35 twice in sixty-five innings.

Tonight Banks is to start with the  
fifteenth ball in good position for a  
good break on a new frame for the  
second round.

At the close of play J. D. Bal-  
drige of Columbus, O., challenged the  
winner of this match to an immediate  
contest of 100 balls, stating that he  
has a subscriber to a purse of \$100  
for the new match. Baldrige has a  
credible record made in match  
games against Clewwater and De  
Oro, and has a run of 112 straight  
balls.

Banks stated after last night's game  
that play of Rhines had been dis-  
satisfying. Rhines in particular showing  
player on earth. Both players were  
slow in getting started, the unusual  
lights and cool atmosphere of the hall  
throwing them out of stride for a  
time.

After warming to their work both  
executed some brilliant and difficult  
shots. Rhines in particular showing  
his skill in combination kisses and  
banks from the draw.

Mackenzie under the rules of the  
match.

The new rules worked to the entire  
satisfaction of everybody, and served  
to quicken the game.

QUAKERS AND Y. M. C. A.  
TO PLAY BASKETBALL.

Three big basketball games are on  
the calendar for this week in the city.  
Two of them unfortunately coming on  
the same night. The five best teams  
in Southern California are to be seen  
in action in the elimination series,  
which will decide the championship of  
this section of the country.

On Wednesday night the Y.M.C.A.  
team is to play Whittier College, which  
team has played the intercollegiate  
championship ever since the flood, or  
thereabouts. Both teams have been  
defeated by close scores by U.S.C. and  
are out for blood. Whittier lost by  
two points and the Y.M.C.A. by four  
therefore the competition is close.

On Saturday night at the L.A.A.C.  
the team representing that institution  
will meet the Riverside Y.M.C.A.  
These two teams met a few weeks ago  
and the Riverside bunch got away  
with the long end of the score, much  
to the surprise of the clubmen, who  
had not been defeated before.

At the same time, in the university  
gymnasium, the University of South-  
ern California and Whittier College  
are to meet in the second game for  
the local college championship.  
While these two teams are the only  
college teams in the south the com-  
petition is fierce, U.S.C. having just  
barely nosed out the Quakers by a  
couple of points in the last game.  
The Whittier boys say that they will  
win the next two games and con-  
tinue their hold on the championship  
which they have held for many years.

## UP AND DOWN BROADWAY.

BY ZIP.

HAYDEN TALBOT this morning  
will experience the feeling that he  
is a real dramatist.  
Of course, Mr. Talbot's friends have  
known for some time that he is a  
playwright, but up to this morning  
Hayden Talbot never has experienced  
the thrill of literary achievement that  
accompanies the reading of a new  
play to a lot of actors—the same  
champions who are to interpret the  
piece.

All right, then, set the scene.  
Here it is, on the stage of the Mo-  
rocco Theater.

The Studebaker watch points to the  
hour of eleven.  
Mr. Goodwin—meaning, Nat, of  
course—occupies the center of the  
group. At his side sits Mr. Hayden  
Talbot, author of "O, Joe," the new  
comedy in which Goodwin is to play  
at the Morocco right after "Oliver  
Twist" is through.

Mr. Talbot is a bit fidgety.  
Sure, that is the proper thing to  
be when you are a playwright and  
have a chance to read a new play  
to a theatrical company—always be  
fidgety.

At Mr. Talbot's side and within  
grabbing distance is a box of  
lozenges, an atomizer filled with a  
liquid that smells very much like H  
2 S, and a bunch of chewing gum—  
all accessories to the scene.

After Mr. Talbot has sprayed his  
throat, hemmed and haw-ed a few  
times, mutilated a lozenge, all will be  
ready for the reading of "O, Joe."  
The author is expected to be very  
much worn out and fatigued by 2  
o'clock this afternoon, by which time  
the reading of the comedy will have  
been finished.

Of course, the actors and actresses  
won't be at all tired. They just love  
to hear an author read his own play  
to them. It's all so edifying and so  
very, yes, so very, very literary and  
delightful.  
"O, Joe!"

Armand Kalles, whose dainty

the other was so dainty and pretty,  
too.

I guess you'll all remember George  
Webb, who in the days not so long  
ago was a matinee idol on almost  
every local stage.  
Well, George is no longer follow-  
ing the grease paint profession. No,  
not he. After leaving here he jour-  
neyed East, played several success-  
ful engagements with the Post stock  
people and seemed to rapidly ac-  
cumulate wealth.

Anyway, George Webb is just now  
the possessor of a big six-cylinder  
touring car and a ranch not far from  
Los Angeles worth some \$10,000, and  
you couldn't drag him inside of a  
theater to see David Wardell, Nat  
Goodwin, Lillian Russell and Sarah  
Bernhardt all in one cast.

The mail brings a postcard, upon  
which in a dainty feminine hand is  
inscribed the following:

ZIP—YOU ARE A FOOL.

I thank you dear lady for "them"  
kind sentiments, but may I ask did  
you ever stop to consider, "Is a fool  
a fool, if he gets his money being  
foolish?"

I don't know, but I have reason to  
suspect that said card comes from a  
charming young actress, who quite  
unaware has recently broken into this  
column.

Word has reached Los Angeles that  
Maud Leone, recently the feminine  
head of the stock company at the  
Lyceum Theater, has scored the hit  
of her young life as the new leading  
woman of the Lawrence stock com-  
pany in Vancouver.

Miss Leone made her first ap-  
pearance in the north in "All of  
a sudden Peggy," and if the critical  
reports may be believed Vancouver  
theater-goers have received her with  
open arms.

Louis Gottschalk spent an hour and  
a half running over the score of the

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## Business

## THE WEATHER.

OFFICE U. S. WEATHER BUREAU,  
San Francisco, Feb. 17.—(Reported by  
Carpenter, Local Forecaster.) At 8  
a.m. the thermometer registered 54°  
at the time of the observation. The  
wind was from the north, velocity 3  
m.p.h. The barometer was 30.1 in-  
ches. The sky was clear. The sun  
was visible. The temperature was 54°  
at 8 a.m., 56° at 9 a.m., 57° at 10  
a.m., 58° at 11 a.m., 59° at 12 m.,  
60° at 1 p.m., 61° at 2 p.m., 62° at  
3 p.m., 63° at 4 p.m., 64° at 5 p.m.,  
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CONDITIONS.—Light snow fell  
in the morning. The temperature was  
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## Public Service; City Hall, Courts.

## SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Harbor Advisory Board decided yesterday to ask the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for dredging in Wilmington Basin, bids to lease the city a dredger, and also to sell one to the city. The action is taken on account of bids for dredging being received which are considered excessive.

A satisfactory settlement of claims for damages on Pacific avenue has been reached and the Harbor Advisory Board decided yesterday that the City Engineer at once proceed to prepare plans for the improvement of Pacific avenue and Fourteenth street as a highway to the water front at San Pedro.

An examination of the books of the street assessment bureau made yesterday by Deputy City Attorney Westover showed that about three-fourths of those included in the action against the Exposition Park assessments have paid.

The Board of Public Utilities instructed its engineers yesterday to prepare plans at once for the proposed system of car stops only at alternate streets, and will put this innovation in service on the Hollywood line.

Theodore Wiesendanger, president of the Conservative Investment Company, who the majority of the directors are trying to oust, asked the Superior Court yesterday to appoint a receiver for the corporation.

## At the City Hall.

## MAY BUY DREDGE FOR HARBOR WORK

EXCESSIVE BIDS CAUSE NEW PLAN PRESENTATION.

City Will Ask for Offers to Lease or Sell Full Equipment for Dredging Channels—Conference Over Situation at Huntington Fill—Pacific Avenue Improvement.

Excessive bids for the work of dredging channels in Wilmington Basin may be the means of causing the city to engage directly in the task of dredging channels at the inner harbor, either by means of a leased dredger, or through the purchase of a complete equipment.

This was decided upon at yesterday's meeting of the Harbor Advisory Board. Two bids were received by the Board of Public Works last week for the dredging in Wilmington Basin. One of these was for 27 cents per cubic yard, made by the American Dredging Company of Nevada.

Harbor Engineer Jubb reported to the board yesterday: "I consider this price ridiculously high, and if no lower bid can be obtained I shall recommend that the city purchase a dredge to do work of this character."

The board rejected all bids and referred the recommendations of Jubb to the Harbor Advisory Board. The latter board decided yesterday afternoon to instruct the City Engineer to prepare new proposals for bids for the dredging, and also for the lease or the sale to the city of a dredger.

Members of the Harbor Commission are strongly in favor of a direct purchase, as they declare there will be need of its work at the harbor for several years, and believe that the city should depend no further upon contractors for this class of work.

The Harbor Commission reported that during the day it had held a conference with representatives of the Standard American Dredging Company, and that there is reason to believe that an amicable adjustment of the trouble over depositing government dredgings in the Huntington fill will be reached today or tomorrow.

## PACIFIC AVENUE.

WORK TO PROCEED AT ONCE.

All the necessary waivers of damages have been obtained from property owners on Pacific avenue, and the necessary legal steps for the relocation of a boulevard on this avenue and Fourteenth street are to be taken as rapidly as possible.

A statement as to the situation in regard to waivers of damages was made to the Harbor Advisory Board yesterday by the San Pedro Citizens Committee, and the board asked the Board of Public Works to instruct the City Engineer to immediately prepare the plans for the street improvement. This is to include asphalt paving, cement curbing and granite block gutters, but no widening of the street.

The board also decided that the plan for the paving will proceed, so that if the city is the winner the paving of the space where the tracks now exist can be arranged for later.

San Pedro citizens who were before the board gave signs of relief when the board actually decided that the work should proceed. They have been working earnestly for almost a year to bring this about.

## Exposition Park Assessments.

Deputy City Attorney Westover filed a demurrer and motion to strike out sections of the complaint of Burke, et al, in the case where property owners are opposing the Exposition Park assessments, and the court sustained two of the contentions of the Deputy City attorney, yesterday, so that the complaint will be amended. The city will have ten days within which to answer. The sale of the properties upon which delinquent assessments remain unpaid will take place on February 24. A 5 per cent. penalty is now attached to all unpaid assessments, and after the 14th the additional 10 per cent. penalty will be attached.

An investigation of the records at the Bureau of Street Assessments made by Westover yesterday showed that about three-fourths of the property owners involved in this court action have paid their assessments. Out of a total assessment of \$200,000 there has been paid in about \$160,000.

## Report on Outfall Sewer.

The City Council yesterday instructed the City Engineer to present to it today a report on the conditions at the city's outfall sewer at Hyperion Beach.

The city must advise Assemblymen from Los Angeles what action is desired in regard to the bill now before the Legislature which proposes to place discharge of city sewage into salt water under the control of the State Board of Health. This bill, it is understood, is designed primarily to better conditions in San Francisco Bay, where numerous cities discharge their sewage, but it will also directly affect Los Angeles, and the State Board of Health has already condemned conditions prevailing at Hyperion Beach.

## New Car-stop System.

The Public Utilities Board, accompanied by Messrs. McMillan and Pontius of the Pacific Electric, made a tour of inspection over the Hollywood line yesterday afternoon, to decide upon streets to be selected as stopping places under the new plan for street car stops only at alternate thoroughfares. They found that it is practicable in all cases, because of traffic conditions or length of blocks, but decided to follow the general rule as closely as possible. The new system will be first put into effect on this line, and the engineering department of the board was instructed to prepare plans for this innovation.

## Wilmington Improvements.

It is expected that the ordinance will be introduced in the City Council tomorrow providing for the improvement of East and West Seventh streets in Wilmington, to form an important connection with the Wilmington-San Pedro road. The street is to be paved from Broadway to Vermont avenue, a distance of a little less than one mile. The proceedings also provide for the construction of a storm drain in Seventh street and Fries street, which will be the main storm drain for a large area. The improvements are to be made out of the harbor improvement bond fund except a twenty-foot strip which is to be paid for by the city directly.

## City Hall Briefs.

The Pacific Crocetting Company was awarded the contract yesterday by the Board of Public Works for the crocetting materials for Pier A in the harbor. This contract amounts to \$12,531.55 and the company warrants a delivery of ninety pieces per day.

The Fire Commission gave its approval yesterday to the request for placing thirty-two hydrants on the mains of the city's water system at San Pedro. The Public Service Commission will be asked to take this action.

The Harbor Advisory Board voted yesterday to request the Public Service Commission to lay all necessary water mains in Pacific avenue and Fourteenth street before those thoroughfares are paved.

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## At the Courthouse.

## SINGLY FIGHTS THE DIRECTORS

## HEAD OF INVESTMENT COMPANY RETURNS FIRE.

Board Members Allege He Misrepresented Value of Property and He Asks That a Receiver Be Appointed for the Corporation. Names Disgraced Confere.

Litigation was swift in the affairs of the Conservative Investment Company yesterday. Shortly after the majority of the directors had filed a complaint alleging that Theodore Wiesendanger, the president, had fraudulently misrepresented the value of the property he turned over to the corporation, naming the Title Guaranty and Trust Company. The order to show cause why a receiver should be appointed will be heard by Judge Willis this morning.

The corporation charges that on the alleged misrepresentation of the value of Wiesendanger's holdings, stated by him to be not less than 20 per cent. or \$239,393, more than 400,000 shares of stock were sold, the investors paying \$150 a month for the stock. Wiesendanger, in the alleged threat of M. G. Norton, a director, who, refused an increase of \$150 a month for his services, threatened to carrying out a threat to wreck the concern.

Owing to alleged dissension in the Board, of Directors Wiesendanger avers no legal meeting can be held. He also asserts the authority of the president is not recognized. The result is mismanagement and the urgent necessity for a receiver, he says.

A third angle of the case is an investigation of the affairs of the corporation by the Federal grand jury. Information will be laid before it today or tomorrow by the United States District Attorney based on information from the postoffice department that the Conservative Investment Company fraudulently used the mails.

At the time of making the contract with the company Wiesendanger is charged with having valued his properties at \$1,500,000, and the court sustains two of the contentions of the Deputy City attorney, yesterday, so that the complaint will be amended. The city will have ten days within which to answer. The sale of the properties upon which delinquent assessments remain unpaid will take place on February 24. A 5 per cent. penalty is now attached to all unpaid assessments, and after the 14th the additional 10 per cent. penalty will be attached.

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Wiesendanger, M. G. Norton, J. M. Close and A. J. Neve. Norton was in the latter succeeded by M. G. Norton. It is alleged that Close and Norton were under the control of Wiesendanger and that he secured them to join in the corporation for the purpose of selling to the latter a large amount of property at an excessive and fraudulent valuation. Also that he caused himself to be elected president and general manager.

It is alleged that the good will of the business is a liability rather than an asset and that the value of the assets should be reduced in the sum of \$100,000, and the value of the property \$150,000.

## SUES FOR SON.

WEEKS DAMAGES FROM POLICE. Judge Wilbur is threatened with a writ of mandate to compel him to sign a warrant for the arrest of Chief Wood and Patrolmen Shelton and alleged physical cruelty to the delinquency of Bernard Luce, aged 16. The complaint, filed by Attorney Stevens, alleges Luce was used to obtain information at the Police Club, Pasadena, which is charged with having violated the restaurant liquor law.

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## COURT IS FIRM.

## MUST PRODUCE CASH.

A slap in the face promises to lead to interesting developments in the divorce suit of Mrs. Clara J. Woodward against L. M. Woodward, who alleged physical cruelty to the delinquency of Bernard Luce, aged 16. The complaint, filed by Attorney Stevens, alleges Luce was used to obtain information at the Police Club, Pasadena, which is charged with having violated the restaurant liquor law.

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## The Interior Courts.

## CONCERNING FATE OF BLIND PIGS.

## POLICE JUDGES' DECISION TO DETERMINE ACTION.

Doubts Expressed as to Whether So-called Wineries Can Be Prosecuted Under Liquor Ordinance. Make No Liquor but Buy It from Wholesalers—Points.

Doubt has arisen in the minds of the Police Court judges and the City Prosecutor whether the liquor ordinance is sufficiently broad in scope to permit prosecution of so-called wineries, termed "blind pigs" by the police, to be prosecuted under provisions of a joint decision will be promulgated tomorrow.

If the courts and prosecutors decide that the alleged violators cannot be punished under the ordinance they will be at liberty, it is said, to conduct their establishment anywhere throughout Los Angeles unless interfered with by the Federal authorities. The government officers, it is said, would have jurisdiction through alleged violation of the Federal law.

Questions of the possible incompetency of the ordinance arose yesterday when the case was argued against P. Barral, said to conduct an illegal winery on West Jefferson street, and Vincenzo Ramato, alleged to be operating a "blind pig" on West Ninth place.

About a week ago raids were made by the police on more than a dozen alleged illegal wineries. Seven men were arrested. One pleaded guilty and was fined \$100. The others demanded trials.

A winery does not come under the provisions of the liquor ordinance. The so-called wineries in question have no machinery.

The liquor is acquired from wholesalers.

SMILE-PROVOKING. INCONGRUOUS APPEARANCE. With a four-day's growth of black beard, attired in woman's clothing and wearing a black wig, on which rested a feather-trimmed hat, Frank Anna, Bucher, presented an incongruous appearance when arraigned in Police Court yesterday on a vag complaint sworn to by Detective Zelinger.

Bucher was arrested last week in a department-store while masquerading as a woman. He refused to deny being Bucher yesterday morning, declaring he would fight before he would substitute a pair of trousers for his blue slacks.

He was taken to court yesterday on a complaint charging him with having interfered with the progress of the patrol. He was given until the first trial to plead. Rasmussen had no attorney or representative.

Asks for Time. "John Doe" Rasmussen, a motorist who is alleged to have refused to give the police patrol the right of way at Seventh and Spring streets Sunday afternoon while an injured man was being rushed to the Receiving Hospital, with the result that his car and the patrol collided, was arraigned before Police Judge Rosen yesterday on a complaint charging him with having interfered with the progress of the patrol. He was given until the first trial to plead. Rasmussen had no attorney or representative.

Convicted of Begging. Simon Keller, a young Russian, was fined \$10 or ten days by Police Judge Rose yesterday for begging. It was testified that when John Scott produced his purse to give Keller a quarter the latter grabbed the wallet and ran. He was tracked to the rooming house by Deputy Constable Fisher, who found him in bed with his clothes on. Keller made the defense that he thought he knew Scott.

Faces Felony Complaint. Long Ling was held to answer yesterday to the Superior Court on a charge of having opium in his possession. Bail was fixed at \$2000. As Long has twice before been arrested for having the drug in his possession this time he is being prosecuted under a felony complaint. It is said that Long is the first Chinese to be prosecuted under that State law since its enactment.

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Women's sew-on supporters, pair ..... 25c  
Children's pin-on supporters, pair ..... 25c  
Shirtdia, adjustable, Best for Shirtdia ..... 25c  
Colored washable braids with scalloped yard bolt ..... 10c  
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